

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE	
In re application of: <b>William R. Tonti et al.</b>	Date: <b>10/18/2006</b>
Serial Number: <b>10/552,971</b>	Examiner: <b>To be assigned</b>
IA Filing Date: <b>04/30/2003</b>	Group Art Unit: <b>To be assigned</b>
Title: <b>PROGRAMMABLE SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE</b>	IBM Corporation D/18G, B/321, Zip 482 2070 Route 52 Hopewell Junction, NY 12533-6531

**REPLY TO "NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER  
35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE  
(DO/EO/US)"**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the "Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US)" (copy enclosed), mailed 08/18/2006 in connection with the above-identified application, the Oath and Declaration has been filed herewith.

A fee of \$130.00 is due for this submission. If any additional fees are required, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 09-0458.

Respectfully submitted,

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